

R_{10} is one of hydrogen, halogen, alkyl, haloalkyl, hydroxy, alkoxy, alkanoyloxy, carbalkoxyl, cyano, thiocyno or mercapto; and
the dotted lines indicate that a single or double bond may be present.

57. A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound of claim 46, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier. --

Remarks

Entry of the amendments is respectfully requested. Claims 1, 2, 25-29, 35-43 and 46-57 are presently pending. The pending claims are directed to compounds (claims 1, 2, 25-29 and 46-56), pharmaceutical composition (claim 57) and methods of use (claims 35-43). Claims 1, 46 and 56 are the independent claims.

Claims 25, 35-41 and 43 have been amended to correct dependency. Claim 46 corresponds substantially to original claim 24. Pharmaceutically acceptable salts have been added to the claim. Support for this limitation appears, *inter alia*, at page 17, lines 4 and 5 of the specification. Hydrogen has been eliminated as a possibility for "A," and the Z groups have been re-phrased as alkylene, alkenylene and alkynylene" to more clearly denote that Z is not a terminal group. Claims 47-55 further limit the compounds of claim 46. Claim 56 incorporates the limitations of original claims 1, 2 and 26. Claim 57 is directed to a pharmaceutical composition that includes a compound of claim 46. Support for claims 47-57 can be found throughout the original description and claims.

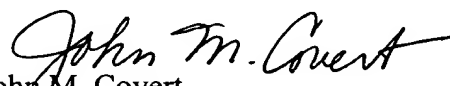
No new matter has been added by way of the present amendments.

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It is believed that application is in condition for allowance. Early notification to this effect is respectfully requested.

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